

## Five Amendments Before Voters In November Election

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### Citizens to Have Opportunity to Ok or Re-

### Voters in Florida at the general

Amendment No. 1 has to do with abolishing ad valorem taxes for state purposes and the project as advertised by Secretary of State R. A. Gray reads as follows: "After Dec. 31, 1939, all ad valorem taxes levied for state purposes shall be abolished."

Amendment No. 2 applies to the creation of a commission authorized to grant paroles or conditional releases or probation of prisoners under supervision. Passage of

The amendment would empower the state legislature to create a parole Commission empowered to grant paroles or conditional releases or probation under official supervision to prisoners or persons charged with criminal offenses, and may provide for the qualification and method of selecting the commission members and for their term of office the length of which

Amendment No. 3 would authorize the legislature to allocate and distribute to the counties of the state certain excise taxes now levied and collected. Section 15 of the resolution reads as follows: The legislature shall have the power to allocate and distribute to the several counties of the state, in equal amounts, and at such times as the legislature shall determine,

the legislature shall determine, any portion of or all excise taxes now levied or collected by the state of Florida from the operation of

Amendment No. 4 would raise the number of Supreme-court justices from six to seven if elected by the voters. Further explanation of the amendment is made in section two of the resolution as follows: The Supreme court shall consist of seven (7) justices and term of office of each justice shall be six years; no term of any incumbent shall be affected by

amendment No. 5 would change terms of county commissioners from two years to four years. Her explanation of the amendment is made in the following section of the resolution: That there shall be in each of the county commissioner's districts, as shall be by law from time to time, each county a commissioner who shall be elected by the qualified voters of said county, at the time place of voting for other county officers, and shall hold his office for four years, provided, however, that the county commissioner be elected in the general election

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## Baxter Again Asks for Co-operation

Raymond Baxter, Pahokee police chief, issued a statement yesterday in which he asked motorists for their cooperation in obeying traffic laws, especially in school zones. Chief Baxter pointed out that during the time he served as head of the police department motorists in the Pahokee area have been unusually cooperative when driving through

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# THE EVERGLADES NEWS

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 in Canal Point, Florida, as Second Class Matter.

Paul Rardin... Editor and Publisher

Blue Devils vs. Mulberry, Sept. 27.

Of the ten scheduled games this season  
 Hobson's Blue Devils will play eight on the  
 home field.

Soon it will be the first of October—  
 then Armistice day—then Thanksgiving—  
 then Christmas—and there goes your year  
 of 1940.

Monday morning brings the official  
 opening of Palm Beach county schools. We  
 hope this coming term will be as successful  
 as past ones.

Continuous rains have given the Glades  
 farming deal a severe basket. Many thou-  
 sand acres less will be planted to early fall  
 vegetable crops because of too much precipi-  
 tation.

New 1941 model automobiles are on dis-  
 play. Dealers hope foreign business during  
 the coming year since there is likelihood  
 there will be no more new models for a year  
 or so.

Despite the heavy rains of the past few  
 weeks there are several patches of beans  
 peeking through the weeds. Of course,  
 these plantings have been made on plots of  
 ground which are usually termed "high."

We wonder if this man Wilkie is mak-  
 ing any votes for himself and his party dur-  
 ing his swing through the west. His type  
 of campaigning doesn't strike us as the kind  
 that will cause people to tumble over each  
 other in an effort to cast a ballot in his be-  
 half.

Pahokee city council is making plans to  
 dispose of the \$35,000 in bonds voted by  
 freeholders last week for construction of a  
 new city hall. Plans are ready for the  
 building and as soon as the bond deal is  
 consummated construction will get under  
 way.

A booklet, "Florida Sugar Bowl," issued  
 recently by the state department of  
 agriculture, gives a comprehensive study of  
 the cane industry in the Lake Okeechobee  
 Region. We have several of these booklets  
 in this office and will gladly pass them on  
 to you if you're interested.

As usual, Blue Devil football fans are  
 already talking about the game with Palm  
 Beach. H. Wilkie is to play in the game  
 on the night of Dec. 6 on Fair Field in Pahokee.  
 This annual football affair always draws  
 the biggest crowd of the season and this  
 year should be no exception.

## IMPROVING RURAL LIFE

An undertaking of great potential bene-  
 fit to Palm Beach county is the land use  
 but little public attention, is the land use  
 survey started several months ago by a  
 county committee with state and federal  
 cooperation.

Primary object of the survey is to de-  
 velop a picture of the county's land re-  
 sources. Practically the entire agricultural  
 area has been analyzed and classified to de-  
 termine the present utilization of the lands  
 and what adjustments are necessary to put  
 them to better use. This work was done in  
 consultation with farm men and women in  
 the various localities who are intimately ac-  
 quainted with local conditions.

Although the general purposes of land-  
 planning as instituted by the U. S. Depart-  
 ment of Agriculture about a year ago, is to  
 improve farming and conserve the soil, the  
 program also takes into consideration such

matters as housing, farm loans, marketing  
 and others which may have only local sig-  
 nificance.

It is recognized that something more  
 than the development of a plan is necessary  
 to bring about an improvement in rural life.  
 Whether it shall be carried out is largely up  
 to the people themselves. Neither the state  
 nor the federal governments have either  
 the power nor the desire to enforce better  
 methods of land use or to bring about im-  
 provement in rural life. The job is to fur-  
 nish the impetus for determining how  
 to improve conditions and advice in  
 carrying out the plans which are proposed  
 by those most interested, the farmers and  
 their wives.

This county is fortunate in being one of  
 the first in the state to have a land-use sur-  
 vey and those associated with the undertak-  
 ing are highly optimistic as to the ultimate  
 results.—Palm Beach Post.

## NEWSPAPERS BOLTING FLORIDA

The daily newspapers of Florida and  
 most other states of the South are showing  
 a definite drift away from President Roose-  
 velt, and a substantial number have gone  
 so far as to announce support of Wendell  
 Wilkie.

The survey shows an unexpected num-  
 ber of Southern shifts by papers which sup-  
 ported Roosevelt in 1932 and 1936 like the  
 Wilkie, undecided, or neutral column now.

In the nation as a whole, the same trend  
 was shown, but this does not necessarily  
 reflect voter sentiment since the majority  
 of daily newspapers has opposed President  
 Roosevelt, consistently. The newspaper  
 shift away from him has been much more  
 rapid in the last four years than in the  
 1930's.

Of the papers replying to the Editor and  
 Publisher questionnaire, a total of 1,030, or  
 55.5 per cent, supported Hoover and 38.7  
 per cent Roosevelt in 1932, with 5.7 per  
 cent neutral; 60.4 per cent supported Landon  
 and 34.5 per cent Roosevelt in 1936, with  
 five per cent neutral; 66.3 per cent now are  
 for Wilkie and only 20.1 per cent for Roose-  
 velt, with 13.5 per cent neutral or unde-  
 cided.

In Florida, 17 daily papers—not includ-  
 ing any in Jacksonville—reported: All of  
 them supported President Roosevelt in  
 1932; one supported Hoover in 1936; six  
 of them now have endorsed Wilkie, and  
 three more are undecided. The Wilkie  
 sextet are the Deland Sun-News, Fort  
 Lauderdale Times, Key West Citizen, Palatka  
 News, St. Petersburg Independent and  
 Winter Haven Chief. Undecided are the  
 Daytona Beach News, Miami Herald and  
 Sanford Herald—Editor & Publisher.

## THE PIED TYPER

Harry Silke Gramatt, who writes  
 weekly for the Oregon Journal, Port-  
 land, has reprinted some eighty pages of  
 a volume published by Binford & Mort, Port-  
 land—The Pied Typer of Shrinia—Estatoen.  
 Here's the opening number:

The man who runs the tinkling Linotype,  
 Across the keyboard dearly loves to swipe  
 His fingers, thereby bringing into view  
 The justly famous "etain shrillu."

So thus we often find this pipeline quiver  
 Amid news stories piously appear;  
 So said the king, as troops passed in review:  
 "These are our bravest etain shrillu!"

When romance fills the Linotype's life,  
 Then to the woman he would make his wife  
 He whispers, "Dear, I love no one but you;  
 My darling, you etain shrillu!"

In politics he sometimes takes a hand  
 And gives his views on how to run the land;  
 "To cut expense and raise the revenue,"  
 He says, "Let congress etain shrillu!"

And when the day is done, beside his bed,  
 The Linotype gently lows his head,  
 "Now," he recites, as he was taught to do,  
 "I lay me down to etain shrillu!"

## County Has Many Rooms Available

Tallahassee, Sept. 19.—Palm  
 Beach county has 15,500  
 available for tourists and winter  
 visitors during the 1940-41 season,  
 according to figures furnished by  
 W. M. Taylor, state hotel commis-  
 sioner.

The facilities, Commissioner  
 Taylor said, are approved and in-  
 creasing under the strict health,  
 sanitation and safety regulations of  
 the state hotel commission.

A breakdown of the figures,  
 Taylor reported, shows that the  
 county has 80 hotels with a com-  
 bined total of 3,511 beds, 13  
 are for transients, 310 apartment  
 houses with a combined total of  
 6,777 rooms, and 795 rooming  
 houses with a total of 3,912 rooms.

Permits were issued to a total  
 of 15,582 hotels, apartment houses  
 and rooming houses, and under the  
 current license year, he went on,  
 in all counties of the state, this  
 represented a total of 313,979  
 available rooms.

## Installs Sprinkler

Work has been completed on in-  
 stallation of a water sprinkler sys-  
 tem in the "Christian Church" at  
 what was going on these days.

## THE WEATHER

Temperature and rainfall at Ca-  
 nal Point, Fla., for the week en-  
 ded Sept. 15, 1940.  

Date	Max.	Min.	Rain
Sept. 9	84	73	0.16
Sept. 10	76	70	0.85
Sept. 11	76	70	1.80
Sept. 12	73	69	0.65
Sept. 13	81	70	0.88
Sept. 14	85	71	1.79
Sept. 15	82	71	1.79

 Total rainfall since Jan. 1, 1940  
 50.67

A war department contract,  
 amounting to over nine million dol-  
 lars, was awarded last week for  
 the construction of National  
 Guard facilities at Camp Blounting.  
 Over 45,000 men will be station-  
 ed at the camp, which will be the  
 second largest in the U. S. A.

We wonder what word Sherman  
 would use if he was alive and  
 what was going on these days.

## FULLER'S FULMINATIONS

By Fuller Warren

All the best wit and humor is  
 not on the radio and in the movies.  
 Some of the funniest stuff that  
 ever took place in the history of  
 America is pulled by unsmiling and  
 obscure amateurs.

Several weeks ago I "muscled  
 in" on a radio show from Gainesville  
 where they were week-ending and  
 at Cedar Key, fishing and  
 fooling. I laughed more than I  
 have since the four Marx Brothers  
 did "Animal Crackers." There  
 were two first-rate wits, three sec-  
 ond-rate wits, and numerous wit-  
 less among the crowd of four-  
 teen.

This odd assortment of eccen-  
 trics rented a fishing boat and de-  
 clared they were going on a  
 "yachting trip" in the Gulf of  
 Mexico. One of these nondescript  
 fellows, a small, weathered, runty,  
 anxious fellow who was quite ab-  
 sently "hen-pecked," had  
 managed to slip away from his  
 wife and home.

Just as we were about to  
 leave from shore, and while this fel-  
 low was drunkenly shouting or-  
 ders like a portly, portly second-  
 rate authority, one of the boys  
 said, "there is your wife stand-  
 ing on the dock and com-  
 manding you to come home."

I thought the little fellow would  
 faint with fright. But without  
 waiting to see what it was a box,  
 and a false alarm, he whirled  
 around and, pointing a quivering  
 finger at that part of the dock  
 where his wife was standing, he  
 said, "you see, you get on  
 back home at once. If you  
 don't, I'll put you in the WPA  
 room and take all your  
 wages."

This same little miniature of a  
 man got off one of the very best  
 remarks that I ever heard. He  
 was telling one of the fellows how  
 very much a certain lady ad-  
 mired his bright mind. He tried  
 very hard to express the admiration  
 for this man's brains, but being  
 in general terms, but being  
 both drunk and "stunk," he wasn't  
 getting his thoughts across. He  
 finally, he wound up and  
 hurled this one across the plat-  
 form, "he thinks if he had a  
 decent cup of tea in the morning,  
 you will."

The funniest fellow in the crowd  
 was a veterinarian. He had an  
 unlimited supply of retail and  
 original humor. When sober, he  
 was plenty funny, but far more so  
 when otherwise. Most of his  
 humor was "men only" kind.

He objected violently to being  
 called a "horse doctor" and insisted  
 on being designated as a "horse  
 physician."

He said he supported a success-  
 ful candidate for governor a num-  
 ber of years ago on his promise to  
 appoint him veterinarian for the  
 road department, but as soon as  
 the candidate became governor  
 the road department was com-  
 pletely motorized.

He was a veteran of World War  
 I. He told many very amusing  
 tales of his experiences in the  
 bitter and bloody expedition,  
 most of which wouldn't get by the  
 censor. One of his milder and  
 more humorous ones was about  
 a peacefully inclined man who was  
 drafted for service as a soldier. At  
 first he wanted to fight at all. He  
 asked to be exempted because of  
 six feet, but his request was dis-  
 allowed. He then asked to be ex-  
 empted because of a floating ear, but  
 his request was also disallowed.  
 He then sought exemption  
 for lack of a leaking heart, but  
 this excuse was disallowed. In  
 desperation, he sought exemption  
 from military service on the  
 ground that he was a conscientious  
 objector, but again exemption  
 was disallowed, and he was carried  
 to Camp Gordon and put in a uni-  
 form and given a gun.

Soon after arriving at the army  
 camp he began picking up papers  
 of various kinds, starting at them  
 and then examining them care-  
 fully. "That isn't it." He kept  
 up this queer behavior from day  
 to day. His strange carrying on  
 began to make the other soldiers  
 jittery. His captain called him to  
 his tent one day and accused him  
 of being a deserter. He denied the  
 charge indignantly.

But he kept up his peculiar con-  
 duct. He got to lifting the lids of  
 baggage cans, peering curiously in  
 the can and muttering, "That isn't  
 it." This deranged department  
 until it began to impair the  
 morale of the soldiers.

His captain saw that something  
 drastic had to be done. So he  
 went into action and got a dis-  
 charge for him. When he handed  
 his discharge to him, the foxy fel-  
 low examined it carefully and joy-  
 fully exclaimed, "That's it."

Tourists are beating the gun on  
 Old Man Winter, acting to 81  
 August 1st. Winter's re-  
 turns already are arriving and  
 opening homes of finding perma-  
 nent locations. All indications  
 point to the coming season as a  
 record breaker.

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

By Russell Kay

Writing from London on Sep-  
 tember 9, Ben Robertson, Jr., staff  
 correspondent of the M. C. News,  
 "These last two days have been  
 like the end of civilization; they  
 have been filled with utmost and  
 most severe horror."

"I have been appalled by death  
 and destruction which German  
 high-school boys in hundred-thous-  
 and-dollar planes have dropped on  
 the hard working poor people of  
 London."

"I nearly breaks an American's  
 heart to see these poor London  
 families among the ruins of homes  
 that many of them have worked  
 all their lives to pay for, but at the  
 same time it is also a source of  
 inspiration to see how they have  
 determined the residents of the  
 bombed areas are to win the war."  
 "Hills have made a big political  
 mistake if he thinks that inde-  
 terminate bombing can break the  
 fighting spirit of the people of  
 this city. It is without impact on  
 the people of London's end and in a  
 state of the most complete fury."

Here in America it is difficult  
 for you and me to grasp a visual-  
 ize the full measure of what is  
 happening over there. It is, how-  
 ever, within our power to feel in  
 our hearts the same reactions of  
 fury and determination described  
 so vividly by Robertson as typical  
 of the heroic Britisher.

I know how you would feel or  
 how I would feel to see my home  
 or that of a kindly peer lying in  
 ruins, and how I would feel to  
 satisfy the lust and hate of a man-  
 iacal dictator.

The recent action of President  
 Roosevelt in sending 50 American  
 can destroyers for air and naval  
 defense bases was rightly appreci-  
 ated by every thinking American  
 and the foreign and common  
 that attended his action as con-  
 veyed a man's wavering vote as  
 would give his support in the com-  
 ing election.

A large majority of the people  
 felt that such aid should have been  
 given much ago and many  
 regretted the feeling that the  
 planes and other equipment could  
 well be sent since the defeat of  
 Britain in Europe.

But every thinking person knows  
 that the U. S. is at war and has  
 been at war since the declaration of  
 powers for them. Fifth columnists  
 and saboteurs, operating on  
 orders of Berlin, Moscow and  
 Rome are doing their utmost to  
 weaken and disrupt America from  
 within, and it is high time Uncle  
 Sam quit talking and began some  
 "action" enough drastic down.

Nothing would please, and de-  
 light him more than to give Amer-  
 ica a nice, generous dose of the  
 blitzkrieg, and don't think for a  
 minute it won't come just as  
 quickly as the dictators feel there  
 is the slightest chance of success.

It is all right to talk about  
 "keeping this country out of war,"  
 but Mr. Roosevelt, Mr. Wilkie, or  
 Congress itself can't do that if the  
 United States is determined to fight  
 Germany, Italy, Russia or Japan.  
 They don't want war with America.  
 All they want is America—and they'd  
 like it tomorrow if they could.  
 There would be no declaration of  
 war on their part; on the contrary  
 they would explain to what was  
 left of the rest of the world that  
 we were being taken over to pre-  
 serve peace, while the hum army  
 of iron would assume the role  
 of benefactor.

America, like other nations, has  
 grown soft from peace and easy  
 living, but she is not a nation  
 if God gives us time we will hard-  
 en up to a point where no nation  
 or combination of nations can  
 threaten us. To the means, we  
 would better be doing a lot of  
 heavy praying for Britain, and back  
 up with all the help it is in our  
 power to give.

We may question the authority  
 of our president for the action he  
 takes, but we have no right to  
 Pepper in effigy, for we can still  
 do that in America—but when the  
 Gestapo does the questioning or  
 the hanging, it will be TOO LATE!

## CANAL POINT BAPTIST CHURCH

S. E. Johnson, Pastor  
 Sunday school begins at 10 a. m.  
 Classes for all ages.

Morning worship begins at 11  
 o'clock. The pastor will preach on  
 the subject: "The Migrant Christ."  
 The Baptist training union  
 meet at 7 o'clock. All young peo-  
 ple invited.

Evening worship begins at 8  
 o'clock. The pastor will preach at  
 8 o'clock. All young people  
 invited.

Midweek prayer services begin  
 at 8 Wednesday evening.

## Colored Equine Is After Roosevelt's Job As President

Brooksville Man Says He  
Will Get His Name  
On Ballot.

Brooksville, Sept. 19.—(FNS)—  
 A dark-skinned candidate for pres-  
 ident of the United States, Jesse P.  
 Lowry, of Brooksville, from the  
 steps of the Hernando county  
 court house, last week announced  
 his intention to run.

Lowry, a ten-year resident of  
 this community, said that he would  
 oppose both Roosevelt and Wilkie  
 and would be the candidate of the  
 ever growing number of Ameri-  
 cans who are opposed to a third  
 term and yet cannot support Wen-  
 dell Wilkie.

Outlining his platform, Lowry  
 said he was "against all immigra-  
 tion" and thinks it should be stop-  
 ped. Continuing, he declared:

"We've got enough bad people in  
 this city. It is without impact on  
 the people of London's end and in a  
 state of the most complete fury."

He said he believed that the  
 fifth-column should be crushed  
 and all past agents of other coun-  
 tries deported. He favored a guar-  
 antee for farm products, the  
 government fixing the price over a  
 12-month period.

In regard to governmental ex-  
 penditures, Lowry declared that he  
 should get the savings plan of the  
 federal government and the cost of  
 the firing of officials when their ser-  
 vices were not necessary.

He declared that the WPA had  
 become a racket, that every work-  
 ing man was getting a job, and  
 less of what his job might be. He  
 said he favored an old-age pension  
 for everyone past sixty years of  
 age; that he was in agreement  
 with Roosevelt on the national de-  
 fence program, but declared that  
 he could not support him or any  
 man for a third term. He consid-  
 ered Wendell Wilkie unfit for the  
 office.

Lowry terms himself a "Squares  
 Deal Democrat" and said he would  
 carry his name on the ticket in No-  
 vember by petition or in some  
 such way.

Lowry came here from North  
 Carolina and served one term in  
 the legislature in that state.

## Urges Carefulness For School Kiddies

Tampa, Sept. 12.—(FNS)—Dur-  
 ing the next few days more than  
 500,000 children, or more than  
 one-quarter of our population, will  
 be traveling to and from school in  
 every community and crossroads in  
 Florida. Asher Frank, director of  
 the Florida State council, said to-  
 day.

"Many of these children will be  
 taking a new and a strange  
 journey for the first time. They  
 have had their mothers guarding  
 them from danger, but now they  
 are on their own resources and  
 their minds are confused by a mul-  
 titude of new experiences. Drivers  
 should be extra careful these days  
 because children will be careless  
 and Old Man Accident will not re-  
 spond to their pleas for mercy."

In the past five years not a  
 school child has been killed during  
 school hours, and if every driver  
 will bear the thought in mind that  
 one of these children might be his  
 special record can be kept  
 unbroken during this school year."

## CANAL POINT METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. M. O. Stawson, Pastor  
 Church school, 10 a. m.  
 Morning worship, 11 a. m. Ser-  
 mon on Fear.  
 Young People's service 7 p. m.  
 Evening worship 8 p. m. "Ele-  
 ments of Success."  
 Midweek service, Wednesday  
 8 p. m. Prayer service. Topic:  
 "What to Pray For."  
 You are cordially invited to wor-  
 ship with us. Won't you come?

## INSURANCE

EVERGLADES  
 INSURANCE AGENCY  
 Phone 2581 Pahokee

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check  
 in 1 day and relieve  
 COLDS  
 symptoms first day  
 Liquid Tablets  
 Saline  
 Non Irritant  
 Try "Rub-My-Tum"  
 A Wonderful Lintiment

## SCHOOL NEEDS

We have a full supply of the many things the  
 youngsters will be needing throughout the school  
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## CAFE IS MOVED

Hooka Cafe, formerly located in the Gold block in Pahokee, was moved across the street Tuesday night to the location formerly occupied by Papa Joe's bar. The Pontal Telegraph company office will move into the place vacated by Hooka and Dad's bar will be enlarged to take in the room to be vacated by the telegraph company.

Florida's 1941 automobile tags will be red and white—red figures on a white background, the same as were used in 1939. It was announced this week by Commissioner D. W. Finley. The plates will be made at Raleigh by state prisoners.

Wish somebody would find out why a moth will pass up the coats and suits hanging in the closet and pick on the one suit stored away in a moth-proof bag.

With a \$5,000,000 sewer project for greater Tampa and a \$2,000,000 water extension project, almost ready, Mayor Chancy asked residents of the city proper and those of the thickly populated suburbs to give serious thought to annexation.

Clyde May, vice-president of the Florida Orange Festival of Winter Haven, succumbed to a heart attack last week.

## Here Are a Few Things That Happened 15 Years Ago In The Glades and Were Recorded by The Everglades News

G. A. Watkins tells about when he got a Ford car several years ago and started to learn to drive of the rough and crooked trail that existed in the Glades. For 15 years he was taking a man to Pahokee in the car. When they had gone about a mile, the passenger handed G. A. two dollars and said, "I'll walk the rest of the way."

F. A. ("Dick") Letlis was in Sunday school the eastern district where he is employed. Dick was engineer on the boat "Bernice" and the mail boat until a few weeks ago.

O. E. McClure is building a nice home on one of his lots on the lake front.

Master Ernest Lindrore entertained a number of his little friends last Saturday this birthday with a marshmallow roast.

A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mrs. W. H. Vande, Thursday evening, in honor of Mrs. J. W. Cochran. Many and beautiful gifts were presented to the bride.

School did not begin in Belle Glade Monday because the teachers did not arrive.

Messrs. May and Brown of the experiment station have a white elephant on their hands, in the form of an unidentified horse, which with the aid of several passing motorists, they pulled out of the canal Sunday.

The Moore Haven schools opened Monday, August 31, with a total enrollment of 226. This is within a dozen of a large enrollment as the school ever had.

The floating dredge in Gladesview district owned by Bryant Holloway cut nine miles of canal in August and it is expected they will cut ten miles in September and finish the first week in October.

Appointment of J. E. Cochran as manager of the Pahokee Drainage district has been made according to reports from Pahokee yesterday which said that Mr. Cochran has accepted the appointment and begun his duties.

Jack Taylor says Moore Haven was ten years old, September 3.

Leola C. Goodley has bought the latest model and most complete clothes pressing outfit sold by the

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FOR SALE—4-5 Rooms of new furniture including electric stove and refrigerator. Sacrifice. 6212 Main Street, Box 21, Pahokee, Fla.

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## A TYPICAL JERRY W. CARTER ANSWER TO THE ADVOCATES OF A TOTALITARIAN GOVERNMENT FOR AMERICA

Tallahassee, Florida, September 11, 1940.  
Mr. Hitler  
Attention: Subordinates in charge Lindbergh for President Club No. 1.  
P. O. Box 343  
Pala Alto, California.

Replying to your circular letter of August, 1940, soliciting my support, I beg to advise THAT:

Prior to the Hoover depression, I thought I was making money—buying and selling real estate operating on a margin—negotiating the resale of the property immediately.

When the Hoover depression got through with me, all I had left was one wife—seven boys—a hound dog and several deficiency judgments against me; a home that was saved for me by the Florida Homestead Law, heavily mortgaged, in a dilapidated condition, and the roof leaking so badly we had to move out doors when it rained to keep from getting wet.

We were discouraged from receiving the profits for the mortgage holder who collected eight percent annually. And he was threatening foreclosure and would have done so probably had it not been for the vast repairs necessary before the property could have been resold.

State and National Banks were going through annual process of closing doors and wiping out depositors with such regularity that I began to wonder if I was enough to deposit any appreciable sum of money in any of these institutions. I took the precaution to buy a cashiers check to remit collection. I had made as agent for others and the darn thing closed when the check was in transit and I came near being indicted as an embezzler before I could raise sufficient funds to make the cashiers check good.

I called on My Brother and he and I found out their banks had just gone through the annual closing process and that they were helpless to help themselves, let alone help me.

Fortunately for me, Mr. Roosevelt was elected about the time it looked as though I was hopelessly involved and gave us the general bank deposit system and a Home Owner's Loan Corporation and did not only take the mortgage for me at five and one-half percent but furnished me with a sufficient amount to put the home in good repair and allowed me to pay back the "red-tape" equal to what I had been paying its interest alone before.

The beneficial results that I personally experienced from these two acts alone of Mr. Roosevelt's administration entitles him to my support, even if he never accomplished anything else for ordinary people like myself. However, I am sure a well posted person could enumerate pages of acts that have been beneficial and a God-send to the masses of the people here.

I never received any serious consideration by any administration prior to Mr. Roosevelt's. To my knowledge, he is the only man elevated to the presidency of these United States who had enough courage, backbone and intestinal fortitude of the non-skill and knobby-tread-type to take the banks out of the control of the speculators, gamblers and wildcats and set up Home Owner's Loan Corporation and other similar institutions that jerked a knot in the tail of the sharks and loan sharks, often referred to as "economic royalists," who have for a century been bleeding the masses of the people white by exacting usurious rates of interest and excess profits.

President Roosevelt, recognizing the fact that we can today take less than forty percent of the entire population, in conjunction with the modern labor saving machines, systems and devices and manufacture and create and distribute more of all the necessities and luxuries of life than the whole one hundred percent could use if they all had bank accounts and could buy what they wanted, inaugurated the WPA for the purpose of giving employment to those whom labor saving machines and devices have displaced and equated them to at least five instead of starve.

Through this and many other methods, he has taken the masses of the people out from under the parasitic domination of the parasitic royalist of this country, who hate Mr. Roosevelt for breaking up their profitable racket and are today opposing him on every hand.

In my opinion, the masses of the people should love Mr. Roosevelt for the emerald he has made out of your circular letter, couched in the most seductive language, astutely advocating Mr. Roosevelt's world revolution; I am not in favor of abandoning our Free Democracy and substituting any such

government as Mr. Hitler or Stalin has brought to the people of Europe and Asia.

As for the candidacy for Mr. Charles Lindbergh, for the purpose of carrying out your program, it does not appeal to me at all. He, like Mr. A. daffy Hitler, has all been a lone wolf and the only thing that he ever accomplished worthy of consideration was flying the St. Louis across the Atlantic. This was a one man operation and from what I can ascertain, he is a Hitler by nature and has demonstrated it so thoroughly that Mr. Hitler decorated him with an Iron cross. As far as I am concerned, he has my permission to return to the land from whence his Father came, whose pro-German sentiment and activities during the last world war caused him to be investigated and with difficulty avoided being put in a detention camp.

If such an organization as yours is successful in misleading sufficient American people to defeat Mr. Roosevelt, with a candidate favored by totalitarian or economic royalists, then I can only say to the American people that a little boy and after an unsuccessful attempt to head off a young calf that had deserted its mother and took as far as a bull that was rushing pell-mell across the woods; exhausted, he sat down in a log and said "it god damn you, you will learn the difference when sucking time comes."

I am NOT for Mr. Lindbergh, I AM for Mr. Roosevelt.

Very truly yours,  
JERRY W. CARTER.

## Bus Companies Have Good Record

Tampa, Sept. 19.—(FNS)—Complaining the statewide safety survey of bus operations in Florida. Asher Frank, director of the Florida Safety Council, had this to say of the survey:

During the past 15 months Florida buses have operated more than 20,000,000 miles, carried over 3,000,000 passengers without one passenger getting killed or a bus driver charged with a fatality.

The survey reveals that four drivers have covered over 6,000,000 miles, together, without one traffic fatality, during a period of 20 years.

Bus drivers are given a thorough schooling; first, in the shop; second, in bus operations; third, in public relations.

The bus operators invest about \$2,000 in every driver in his preliminary training, and public relations and the creation of good will is the biggest essential of bus operations.

Buses are inspected when they come in from the road when they go out. Bus drivers are not permitted to operate their buses more than 8 hours. Their home life is as busy as they are physically fit when they report for duty.

## ISSUE SCHEDULES

As has been the custom of the editor of this newspaper for several years, pocket size football schedules have been issued for the use of Blue Devils fans again this season. The entire 1940 schedule is printed on a card just the right size to fit into one's purse. The cards may be found at the various drug stores and at Denton's hardware store.

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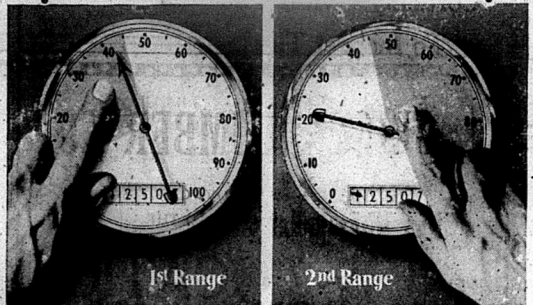
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## New Sinclair H-C has Double-Range Anti-Knock

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## Glades Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. B. Elliott of Pahokee and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Ware of West Palm Beach have returned from a trip to the New York World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Holloway of Belle Glade announce the birth of a son, James Cecil Holloway, Jr. at the Everglades Memorial hospital on Sept. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Dixon of South Bay announce the birth of a son in Orlando, Mrs. Dixon before her marriage was Miss Opal Franz, daughter of F. L. Franz.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Neller and children, Lois and John, have returned to their Belle Glade home.

### NOW PLAYING

Everglades Theatre

Friday, Sept. 20

"DOUBLE ALIBI"

"GIRL IN 315"

Saturday, Sept. 21

"SONS AND BELLIES"

Prince Theatre

Friday, Sept. 20

"Gambling on the High Seas"

"CERTAIN CALL"

Saturday, Sept. 21

"CARSON CITY KID"

## ANOTHER SCHOOL TERM STARTS!

Another school term is off to a good start and it behooves every one of us who drives a car to be unusually careful when driving through school zones. Let's cooperate fully in recognition of speed limits in order that no school child may suffer as a result of our negligence.

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Ky. where he took his daughter, Susanne, to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll McDonald and children, Harry and Alice, have returned to Belle Glade from Orlando where they visited Mrs. J. C. Reddish.

### ISSUE WARNING

Pahokee council issued warning to all residents who have not complied with the city sanitary ordinance which requires installation of water closet facilities in all residences, that violators will be subject to stiff fines and possible jail sentences.

### HIGH WATER

High water, due to recent rainfall in the upper Everglades, has raised the water in the basin lake in the Glades between Clewiston and Lake Harbor approximately 18 inches higher than the lake level and threatens to flood large sections of valuable farming and within the drainage districts all around that end of the lake as it seeks an outlet via the North New River canal.

### TO RAISE FUNDS

At a meeting of the executive board of Methodist church this week plans were made to raise church funds. Members voted to continue the use of the envelope system which was inaugurated three years ago. In addition to the system a financial statement of the church will be issued to all members every two months in order that they may keep posted as to church requirements. The following committee was named to be in charge of issuing statements: Frank Rozelle, B. Elliott, Ben Waring, W. A. Howell and John A. Dulany.

### Vanns Celebrate 25th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vann celebrated their silver wedding anniversary with a dinner dance at the Glades club last Thursday night. A delectable turkey dinner was served the guests after which dancing was enjoyed to the music of a West Palm Beach orchestra. Mr. and Mrs. Vann received many beautiful silver gifts.

Those who enjoyed the evening's entertainment and the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Vann were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Segree, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Barwick, Jeff Caffey, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wilder, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Elliott, Thurmond Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bates, Mrs. T. T. Parrow, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cochran, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Fraser, Elmer Rice, Miss Lucille Williams, Doyle Crocker, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Lytal, Mr. and Mrs. Thadde Wilden, Mrs. B. L. Stirling, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lodeman, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Fourny.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Bateman, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Chastain, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Miller, Hugo Bow, Mrs. Christine Cochran, Mrs. M. L. Hughes, Paul Rardin, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. May, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Mock, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McKinstry, Dr. and Mrs. Wilburn C. Young.

### Liquor Dealers In

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pay \$600 this year instead of \$400 which was their former fee.

When the licensed dealer lives in a municipality, the license fee is divided by giving the city or town one-half, the county one-fourth, and the state one-fourth. If the dealer does not operate in a municipality, the county receives one-half and the state one-half of the license fee.

The report of the annual audit of the State Beverage department related this week by State Auditor W. M. Walnwright shows that collections by that department have nearly doubled since the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936; collections for that year amounted to \$4,773,361, and for the year ending June 30, 1940 they totaled \$4,820,782. During the same time collection costs have been reduced from 12.1 percent in 1936 to 3.9 percent for last year.

Of the revenue collected the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, the general revenue fund received \$2,490,761. The 1937 legislature transferred these collections to the State Welfare Fund for the payment of old age assistance and for the support of dependent children and the blind, with the surplus going to the county school fund. As no other revenue was substituted by the legislature for the general fund, the state has been hard pressed since the transfer was made to meet obligations and salaries payable from the general revenue fund.

The audit also states that the records of the department are accurately kept, all receipts properly accounted for, and the low collection cost indicates the department has been managed in an economical and businesslike manner.

## To Keep Florida In The Eye of America After Fair Closes

Manager Brown Proposes to Continue Display in Many Cities.

World's Fair, N. Y., Sept. 19.—If present plans are adopted, Florida will not stop giving publicity to its resources and attractions by means of exhibits at New York World's Fair of 1940 closes its doors at midnight, Sunday, Oct. 27, next.

The phenomenal increases in the number of visitors to the state, both in summer and in winter, which have resulted at least in great part, from Florida's participation in exhibitions—in Chicago and in 1932 at Rockefeller Center in New York city during the winter of 1935-36; at the Great Lakes exposition in Cleveland, the summers of 1936 and 1937, and at the New York World's Fair in 1939 and again in 1940—has created a disposition on the part of thousands of the leading citizens of the state to want Florida to continue showing what it has in the way of resources and attractions, as it has been doing during the past seven or eight years.

By the time the 1940 fair closes, Oct. 27, more than 40,000,000 men, women and children, from not only every state of the American union but from practically every country on the globe will have seen Florida's exhibits and will have been made Florida conscious through visual education regarding the various phases of life in the Sunshine State and its advantages and opportunities from every point of view.

Arrangements are now being made, according to E. W. Brown, general manager of the Florida state exhibit, to keep up the good work through comprehensive displays at Cleveland, Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and other midwestern cities. Mr. Brown in conjunction with Frank Buck of "Bring 'em Back Alive" fame; Almon R. Shaffer, who managed "Old New York" at the fair last year and who is at the head of "Winter Wonderland," this year—both outstanding amusement enterprises, are planning to take on tour some of the best features of the 1940 World's Fair, including Florida dioramas and other displays which have made the Florida exhibit so attractive.

The hope is to carry the World's Fair of 1940 to the millions of Americans who for any reason could not or did not visit it at New York, thus keeping Florida to the forefront in the public mind.

## County Receives 269 Textbooks On National Defense

Seniors Get Material for Course In Applied Math and Science.

Tallahassee, Sept. 19.—The State Department of Education has provided 269 books related to national defense for the use of Palm Beach county boys who will graduate this year from high school. The book is the first of a series giving elementary instruction in physics, mechanics, engines, aerodynamics, radio, photography, and the armed forces.

As quickly as additional copies can be printed the books will be available to the schools as public free texts, to whatever extent plans are made for their use in high school. Approximately 8,000 have been distributed throughout the state to make them immediately available to senior boys and to teachers of physics, chemistry, and mathematics.

The first book of the series includes 20 units of study about industrial tools and materials, and suggestions for extended study by school clubs or pupils who wish to dig deeply into the sections in which they are especially interested. It also includes a long list of related materials available free from the government or from industrial concerns, suggestions for school library purchases, and statements by the State Board of Education and the State superintendent concerning the responsibilities of school officials and teachers in national defense preparation.

The series contains applications from the regular school textbooks in science and mathematics. It is edited by Paul Eddy of the state department and Dr. J. H. Kueser of the University of Florida. They were completed during the summer by more than 20 teachers of mathematics, science, and industrial arts. The first book on general mechanics is paper bound with 271 illustrations, and is produced at an estimated cost to the state, 25 cents each.

## Comptroller Looks For Payroll Cosh

Tallahassee, Sept. 19.—Lack of money to pay school teachers isn't the only thing that gives Jim Lee sleepless nights. There's the matter of several thousand state employees whose pay envelopes should—and aren't being—filled promptly by the first of each month.

The general revenue fund, from which many employees are paid and from which much of the state's operating expense is paid, is currently more than \$1,000,000 in arrears. That figure is growing daily.

September 1 paychecks for many state employees were held up until the Florida Power & Light company paid \$100,000 of its taxes in advance. Now the comptroller's office is head-scratching about the October 1 payroll. It isn't in sight and it isn't likely that it will be forthcoming on time, barring some kind of financial legdemain.

If the 1941 legislature acts true to prediction in overriding the Come vote of repeal of the state's gross receipts tax, and if voters of the state, by constitutional amendment, abolish approximately \$1, said.

750,000 annually in ad valorem taxes for state benefit, the commonwealth will be in far worse financial fix than is now the case; the annual deficit will approach \$6,000,000.

## County Has Ample Number of Cafes

Tallahassee, Sept. 19.—(Special) Ample facilities for tourists and those who want to "eat downtown" are available in the 493 restaurants and cafes licensed to operate in Palm Beach county, according to W. M. Taylor, state hotel commissioner.

Combined capacity of the restaurants and cafes in the county is 18,897, Commissioner Taylor said. Each of the restaurants and cafes listed operates under strict health, sanitation and safety regulations of the state hotel commission.

Commissioner Taylor reported the current license year saw permits issued by the commission to 8,551 cafes and restaurants in the state. These had a combined seating capacity of 301,582 persons, he said.

## Government Cost Increase 5 Times As Fast As People

Fact Finding League Tells of Increases.

Jacksonville, Sept. 19.—Per capita cost of state government has increased five times as fast as the state's population during the past five years, the Florida Tax Revision League declared here Wednesday in a prepared statement. The per capita cost of state government increased 84 per cent in the past five years but the state's population increased only 17 per cent in the same period, the league said.

The figures were based on state government cost of \$16,475,552 for 1934 figured against the 1935 state census which gave the population as 1,606,842; and the 1939 state government cost of \$35,470,500 figured against the recent federal

census which gives the 1940 population as 1,877,791.

"It should be borne in mind," said the league, "that this \$35,470,500 is the cost of state government only. Complete figures on the cost of county, city, and other local units of government are not available. The total cost of state and local government has been estimated to be \$125,000,000—approximately \$65 per capita."

"There is a generally accepted principle in business that as the volume increases, the cost per item decreases in direct proportion. This principle apparently does not apply to the cost of government in Florida. In 1934, state government cost \$10.25 for each man, woman and child—white and black. In 1939 this cost had increased to \$18.89 per person—an increase of 84 per cent while population was increasing 17 per cent."

The first bale of Sea Island cotton ginned at Leeburg last week brought 50 cents a pound, over \$200 being paid for the single bale. There, were ten bales ginned the first day. Not all of it brought that premium but it brought prices more than three times the market price for short staple.

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